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SUBJECT: ODUBER CONSOLIDATES VICTORY IN LATER RETURNS

REF: SAN JOSE 0414 AND 0418

- 1. WITH 60 PERCENT OF THE VOTES NOW TOTALED GIVING ODUBER
- 42.48 PERCENT THERE IS NO LONGER ANY DOUBT THAT HE HAS WON

THE PRESIDENCY. THE NATIONAL TOTAL WITH 60 PERCENT COUNTED:

- A. NATIONAL LIBERATION (PLN) 42.48 PERCENT
- B. NATIONAL UNIFICATION (UN) 30.30 PERCENT
- C. NATIONAL INDEPENDENT (PNI) 11.03 PERCENT
- D. NATIONAL RENOVATION (PRD) 9.68 PERCENT
- E. DEMOCRAT 2.89 PERCENT
- F. SOCIALIST ACTION (PASO) 2.56 PERCENT
- G. CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT (PDC) .53 PERCENT
- H. SOCIALIST .52 PERCENT

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2. ALTHOUGH IMPOSSIBLE TO PREDICT PRECISELY UNTIL ABSOLUTELY ALL THE VOTES ARE COUNTED, IT NOW APPEARS THAT THE PLN WILL GET 25-26 SEATS IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY; UN ABOUT UNCLASSIFIED

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16-17; PNI 6-7; CARAZO 4; PASO 1-2 (THE SECOND IS A SLIM

POSSIBILITY IN PUNTARENAS); AND ONE EACH FOR REPUBLICANS (SAN JOSE), DEMOCRATS (IN SAN JOSE ON THE STRENGTH OF G. W. VILLALOBOS' PRESIDENTIAL SHOWING), AND CARTAGO AGRARIAN PARTY (CARTAGO).

3. CARLOS MANUEL CASTILLO, ODUBER'S VICE-PRESIDENTIAL RUNNING MATE, HAS BEEN NAMED AS MINISTER OF THE PRESIDENCY, WHERE HE PROMISES TO PLAY A KEY SUBSTANTIVE COORDINATING ROLE. NO OTHER NOMINATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE. VAKY

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